GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE
LOK SABHA

STARRED QUESTION NO:425
ANSWERED ON:22.08.2001
MBBS DEGREE HOLDERS FROM ABROAD
AKHILESH SINGH

Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government have made separate arrangements for admission into P.G. courses for those Indian students who have got their M.B.B.S. degree from abroad;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether the Government plan to permit such students to appear at the entrance examinations for P.G. courses conducted by different States; and

(d) if not, the reasons therefor?

Answer

MINISTER OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (DR. C.P. THAKUR)

(a) to (d): A statement is laid on the Table of the Lok Sabha.

STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO LOK SABHA STARRED QUESTION NO. 425 FOR 22.8.2001

(a)to(d): The Government have not made any separate arrangements for admission in the Postgraduate courses for those Indian students who have got their MBBS degree from abroad.There is also no proposal with the Central Government to permit such students to appear in the entrance examination for Postgraduate courses conducted by different State Governments.

For admissions to the Postgraduate medical courses conducted by the State Governments and institutions which do not make admissions on All India basis, only the students passing out from the Universities/institutions situated in the concerned State are eligible to be considered. However, an Indian national who holds a foreign medical degree recognised by the Medical Council of India, and has obtained permanent registration from the Medical Council of India or any of the State Medical Councils is eligible to appear in the competitive examination for admission to Postgraduate medical degree/diploma courses conducted on All India basis.